

MINUTES

Utah Department of Health
Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee

Thursday, May 21, 2015
7:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.
Cannon Health Building
Room 128

Committee Members Present:

Lisa Hunt, R.Ph.
Kort Delost, R.Ph.

Elizabeth Young, Pharm.D.
Keith Tolman, MD

Committee Members Excused:

Beth Johnson, R.Ph.
Ellie Brownstein, MD

Jameson Rice, Pharm.D.
Clinton Sheffield, MD

Dept. of Health/Div. of Health Care Financing Staff Present:

Trevor Smith, CPhT
Merelynn Berrett, RN

Heather Santacruz, RN
Robyn Seely, Pharm.D

University of Utah Drug Information Center Staff Present:

Melissa Archer, Pharm.D.

Other Individuals Present:

Kelly Ponce, AstraZeneca
Randy Rimer, Abbvie
Lovell Robinson, Abbvie
Cody Ball, Select Health
Lisa Jenson, Gilead

James Kotusky, Gilead
Jason Smith, Gilead
Jim Sheem, Gilead
Paul Bonheim, Novo
Galo Ramirez, Abbvie

Meeting conducted by: Kort Delost

1. **Review and Approval of April Minutes:** Quorum not present, review and approval will take place during July meeting.
2. **Housekeeping:**
 - a. Lisa Hunt reminded everyone to sign in. She asked the board to keep in mind a person to nominate for the committee chairperson at the next meeting.
 - b. Lisa Hunt welcomed Keith Tolman to the committee. He will serve as the Family Practice Medicine representative to the P&T committee.
3. **Drug Utilization Review (DUR) Board update:** The DUR board reviewed Grastek, Ragwitek and Oralair in the May Meeting.

4. **Opens Meeting Act Annual Training** – Tony Patterson, State AG Office
 - a. He said that there is a requirement to provide any information presented via electronic means such as a slide show to the public.
 - b. He stated that board members can't transmit electronic information through text messages or chats or emails to each other during the meeting
 - c. He explained that social gatherings or chance meetings won't be considered a public meeting. He then said that decisions or motions can't be made in those settings.
 - d. He offered to answer any questions from the board
5. **Hepatitis C Combination Agents** – Review postponed to July due to lack of quorum.
6. **Agents to treat Angina** - Review postponed to July due to lack of quorum.
7. **Meeting Adjourned**
8. Next meeting is scheduled for July 16, 2015. Hepatitis C combination agents and agents to treat angina will be discussed.

Minutes prepared by Trevor Smith

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